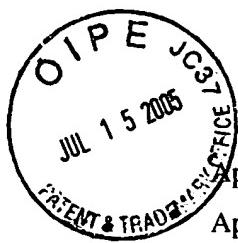


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Dear Sir:

Applicant submits the following comments in response to the Office Action mailed on June 9, 2005. Applicants respectfully elect without traverse Species H (Figures 10A-C) and prosecution of claims 23-31, claim 23 being generic. If the Examiner does not agree that claims 23-31 all read on the elected Species H, Applicants alternatively elect prosecution of claims 23-27, claim 23 being generic.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.